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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
37 CFR § 1.115

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application in accordance with the Preliminary Amendment filed November 12, 2002 and the amendments provided below prior to substantive examination of the application:

In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

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1. A shared memory comprising:
a plurality of multi-port memories, wherein each memory has at least two ports, wherein each port has a concurrent-access function that allows for internally concurrent access via the port to data stored in the memory, wherein at least one of said at least two ports has a copybus-function and wherein at least one of said at least two ports is accessible from a user side; and
at least one copybus connected to each of said at least one ports having the copybus-function;